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Mr. John H. Bass Reddie & Grose 16 Theobalds Road London WC1X 8PL ENGLAND

> Re: New Zealand Pat. Appln. No. 230007 Your File: 30588 Our File: PM-1315 (New Zealand)

Dear John:

Thank you for your October 16, 1991 letter reporting the new official action in this case. I have discussed the matter with Philip Morris and they agree to cancel claim 34 without filing a divisional application, I have reviewed claims 35-41 depending from claim 34 and they appear to duplicate claims 2-9, so claims 35-41 can also be cancelled.

I understand from your letter that you can address the other points in the action without our assistance.

Please let me know if you need anything further.

Very truly yours,

JEFFREY H. INGERMAN

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cc: Ms. Beverly A. Monroe [By Mail]

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